

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification as follows. No new matter has been added.

Please replace the paragraph on page 4, lns. 21-23, with the following rewritten paragraph:

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“FIG. 7 is a diagrammatic schematic of a method of reusing the specially designed refillable container of the type shown in ~~FIG. 6~~ FIGS. 6A, 6B, 6C and 6D according to the principles of the present invention; and”

Please replace the paragraph on page 4, lines 21-23, with the following rewritten paragraph:

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“FIGS. 6A and 6B-6D are perspective views of another embodiment of the present invention where the discharge cap and refill cap are both disposed on the same end of the refillable container of the present invention and one aspect of the refill process is illustrated;”

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 6, line 20 and ending at page 7, line 15 with the following rewritten paragraph:

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“Referring now to FIG. 6A, there is shown a perspective view of an alternative embodiment of the present invention. The refillable vessel or container 100 of this embodiment of the present invention includes a discharge cap 102 formed in the upper end 104 of the container 100. Upper end 104 in effect comprises a special refill/discharge cap assembly that connects to a lower body portion 108 of the container 100. It should be understood that discharge cap 102 may be of any type of discharge device, such as a pump or a sprayer as illustrated in FIGS. 6C and 6D, respectively. Discharge cap 102 may also comprise a portion of an upper body portion 106 that is threadably connected to a lower body portion 108 of the container 100. Whether the upper body portion 106 is considered to comprise a refill/discharge cap assembly or a portion of the container 100, it works the same. As described above, a series of threads 110 facilitate the attachment and detachment of the upper body portion 106 (or refill/discharge cap assembly) relative to lower body portion 108 and defines a refill orifice 202. In this manner, the desired fluid can be easily poured into the lower body portion 108 and discharged through the discharge cap 102, forming part of the upper body portion 106. Reference to upper body portion 106 will be used herein, but it is again reiterated that upper body portion 106 may also be referred to as a discharge/refill cap assembly, because it effectively performs that function and the nomenclature thereof should not be, in any way, limiting to the spirit and scope of the present invention. It may also be noted that other coupling and attachment techniques other than the engagement of threads 110 may be utilized in accordance with the principles of the present invention. Likewise other locations of the discharge cap and refill cap may be provided in accordance with the principles of the present invention. A label 111 is also shown to permit the consumer to apply indicia thereon to identify

the contents thereof. If the container 100 is formed of clear plastic, the contents are inherently

identifiable. Various known materials may be used for the label 111 including indicia applied to or

imprinted on the container 100.”
